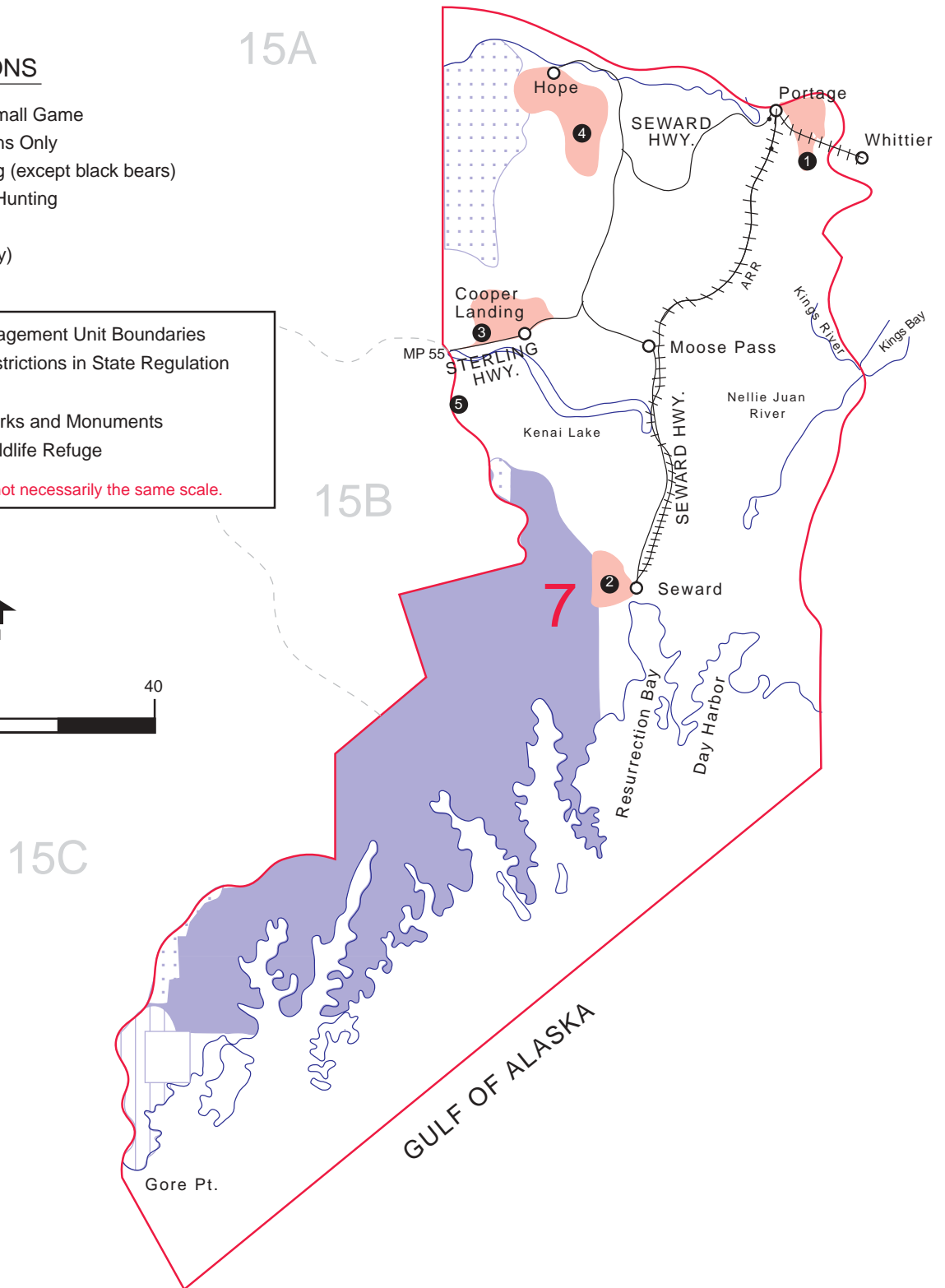
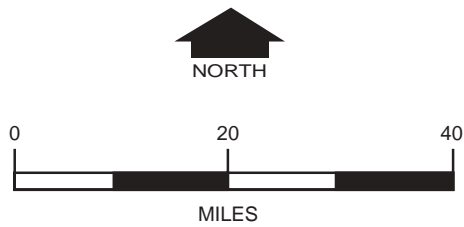
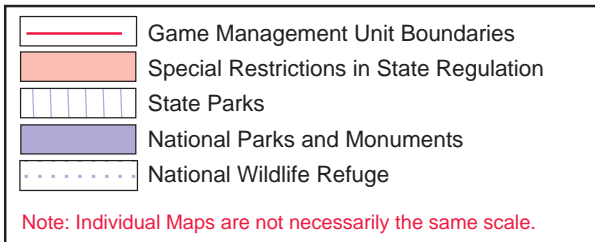


## UNIT 7 MAP NUMBERS AND RESTRICTIONS

- ① Migratory Bird and Small Game  
Hunting With Shotguns Only
- ② No Big Game Hunting (except black bears)
- ③ No Sheep and Goat Hunting
- ④ No Moose Hunting
- ⑤ No Hunting (June/July)



**Unit 7, Seward:** Gulf of Alaska drainages between Gore Point and Cape Fairfield, including the Nellie Juan and Kings River drainages, and including the Kenai River drainage upstream from the Russian River, the drainages into the south side of Turnagain Arm west of and including the Portage Creek drainage, and east of 150° W. long., and all Kenai Peninsula drainages east of 150° W. Long., from Turnagain Arm to the Kenai River.

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# Game Management Unit 7

Hunter Education is required for hunters born after Jan. 1, 1986

## STATE RESTRICTED AREAS IN UNIT 7

- (1) **Portage Glacier Closed Area** - the Portage Creek drainages between the Anchorage-Seward Railroad and Placer Creek in Bear Valley, Portage Lake, the mouth of Byron Creek, Glacier Creek and Byron Glacier **is closed to hunting, except migratory birds and small game may be hunted with shotguns, after September 1. Discharging firearms is prohibited within 150 yards of all developed facilities on USDA Forest Service land south of Portage Creek (maps available at ADF&G and USFS offices).**
- (2) **Seward Closed Area** - south side drainages of Resurrection River downstream from Kenai Fjords National Park's eastern boundary, and Resurrection Bay drainages between the mouths of Resurrection River and Lowell Creek **are closed to taking big game, except black bear.**
- (3) **Cooper Landing Closed Area** - bounded by Juneau Creek, on the west, beginning at its confluence with the Kenai River, then upstream to the confluence of Juneau and Falls Creek, then easterly along Falls Creek and the North Fork of Falls Creek and over the connecting saddle to Devils Creek, then southeasterly along Devils Creek to its confluence with Quartz Creek, then southwesterly along Quartz Creek to the Sterling Highway, then westerly along the Sterling Highway to the Kenai River, and then westerly along the Kenai River to the point of beginning at the mouth of Juneau Creek, **is closed to taking Dall sheep and mountain goat.**
- (4) **Resurrection Creek Closed Area** - the drainages of Resurrection Creek downstream from Rimrock and Highland Creeks including Palmer Creek **is closed to taking moose.**
- (5) **Russian River Closed Area** - which consists of the area within 150 yards, and including the river, from the outlet of Lower Russian Lake downstream to the Russian River/Kenai River confluence **is closed to hunting for the months of June and July.**

## SPECIES AND BAG LIMITS

REQUIRED TICKET OR PERMIT TYPE	OPEN SEASON
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**BEAR, BLACK** • See pages 24-27 for bear information and salvage requirements.  
• Evidence of sex must remain naturally attached to the hide.

**Unit 7: RESIDENTS & NONRESIDENTS:** Two bears per regulatory year

One bear .....	July 1—Dec. 31
AND one bear .....	Jan. 1—June 30

**BEAR, BROWN/GRIZZLY** • See pages 24-27 for additional bear hunting information.  
• Nonresident hunters must be accompanied by a guide.  
• Evidence of sex must remain naturally attached to the hide.

**Unit 7: RESIDENTS & NONRESIDENTS:** One bear every four regulatory years. Permit RB160 available in person in Anchorage, Soldotna, Homer or by mail from Homer by calling 235-8191 beginning Oct. 10 .....

Registration	Oct. 15—Oct. 31
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**CARIBOU** • In bag limit "caribou" means an animal of either sex.

**Unit 7, north of the Sterling Highway and west of the Seward Highway:**

<b>RESIDENTS &amp; NONRESIDENTS:</b> One caribou by permit DC001 .....	Drawing .....	Aug. 10—Dec. 31
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<b>Remainder of Unit 7:</b> .....	No open season
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**GOAT** • Shooting of nannies with kids is prohibited. Taking of males is encouraged.  
• Maps and information on sex identification available at ADF&G offices.  
• Nonresident hunters must be accompanied by a guide (see Guide Information, page 11).

<b>Unit 7: RESIDENTS &amp; NONRESIDENTS:</b> One goat by permit DG331-DG352 .....	Drawing .....	Aug. 10—Oct. 15
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OR Permit RG331-RG352 in person in Anchorage, Palmer, Soldotna, or Homer beginning Oct. 28 .....	Registration	Nov. 1—Nov. 30
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**MOOSE** • In areas indicated by ➡ Federal restrictions exist, see page 8.  
• Spike-fork, 50-inch antlers, and brow tines defined on pages 30-31.  
• In bag limit, "moose" means an animal of either sex; "bull" means a male moose.  
• In all hunts limited to one sex, evidence of sex must remain naturally attached to the meat.

<b>Unit 7, within Resurrection Creek Closed Area</b> .....	No open season
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**Unit 7, west of the Resurrection Creek Trail, north of the Sterling Highway and outside the Resurrection Creek Closed Area:**

<b>RESIDENTS &amp; NONRESIDENTS:</b> One bull with spike-fork antlers or 50-inch antlers or antlers with 3 or more brow tines on one side .....	Harvest .....	Aug. 20—Sept. 20
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OR one bull with spike-fork antlers or 50-inch or antlers with 3 or more brow tines on one side by permit DM522 .....	Drawing .....	Oct. 20—Nov. 20
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**Unit 7, Placer River drainages, and that portion of Placer Creek drainages (Bear Valley) outside the Portage Glacier Closed Area:**

<b>RESIDENTS:</b> One bull by permit DM210 .....	Drawing .....	Aug. 20—Sept. 30
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OR one antlerless moose by permit DM211 .....	Drawing .....	Aug. 20—Oct. 10
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<b>NONRESIDENTS:</b> One bull by permit DM210 .....	Drawing .....	Aug. 20—Sept. 30
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SPECIES AND BAG LIMITS	REQUIRED TICKET OR PERMIT TYPE	OPEN SEASON
<b>MOOSE</b> CONTINUED.		
➔ <b>Remainder of Unit 7: RESIDENTS &amp; NONRESIDENTS:</b> One bull with spike-fork or 50-inch antlers or antlers with 3 or more brow tines on at least one side. ....	Harvest .....	Aug. 20—Sept. 20
<b>SHEEP</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Nonresident hunters must be accompanied by a guide (see Guide Information, page 11).</i></li> <li>• <i>See definition of full-curl horn and drawings on page 28.</i></li> <li>• <i>Horns must accompany meat from the field.</i></li> <li>• <i>Ram horns must be sealed within 30 days of kill.</i></li> </ul>		
<b>Unit 7,</b> east of Fuller Lake trail, south of Dike Creek and a straight line from the source of Dike Creek, east through the divide south of Trout Lake to Juneau Creek, west of Juneau Creek, and north of the Sterling Highway; <b>RESIDENTS &amp; NONRESIDENTS:</b> One ram with full-curl horn or larger by permit DS150 .....	Drawing .....	Aug. 10—Sept. 20
<b>Unit 7,</b> south of the Sterling Highway, west of the Seward Highway, and north and east of Kenai Lake: <b>RESIDENTS &amp; NONRESIDENTS:</b> One ram with full curl horn or larger by permit OR one ewe by permit DS154-DS156 .....	Drawing .....	Aug. 10—Sept. 20
<b>Remainder of Unit 7: RESIDENTS &amp; NONRESIDENTS:</b> One ram with full-curl horn or larger .....	Harvest .....	Aug. 10—Sept. 20
<b>WOLF</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Hides must be sealed within 30 days of kill.</i></li> </ul>		
<b>Unit 7: RESIDENTS &amp; NONRESIDENTS:</b> Five wolves total, of which only two may be taken within the Kenai National Wildlife Refuge .....		Aug. 10—Apr. 30
<b>WOLVERINE</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Hides must be sealed within 30 days of kill.</i></li> </ul>		
<b>Unit 7: RESIDENTS &amp; NONRESIDENTS:</b> One wolverine. ....		Sept. 1—Mar. 31